

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

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R 191505Z MAY 77  
FM AMEMBASSY NICOSIA  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 5867  
AMEMBASSY ATHENS  
AMEMBASSY MANAMA  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
AMEMBASSY ROME

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BRUSSELS AND ROME FOR FAA

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR, CY, FR  
SUBJECT: VISIT TO CYPRUS BY TWA V-P OPERATIONS EUROPE

REF: (A) PARIS 14779 (NOTAL) (B) NICOSIA 0645 (NOTAL)

1. EMBASSY CAN ARRANGE MEETING TWA V-P OPERATIONS EUROPE  
GIRARD WITH NICOSIA ATC AND CAN ESCORT IF DESIRED. HOWEVER,  
EMBASSY OFFICER WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO ARRANGE MEETINGS WITH,  
OR ESCORT GIRARD TO, ERCAN AIRPORT ATC LOCATED IN TURKISH-  
CYPRIOT CONTROLLED PART OF ISLAND. AS EMBOFF KOSHELEFF  
EXPLAINED TO GIRARD ON APRIL 26, 1977, USG DOES NOT RECOGNIZE  
SO-CALLED TURKISH FEDERATED STATE OF CYPRUS (TFSC) AND CANNOT  
GIVE APPEARANCE THAT IT ACCEPTS LEGITIMACY OF ERCAN ADVISORY  
AIRSPACE SERVICE ESTABLISHED BY TFSC PER REF.(B).

2. EMBASSY ASSUMES GIRARD WILL ENTER CYPRUS THROUGH LARNACA  
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AIRPORT IN GOC-CONTROLLED PART OF CYPRUS. WHILE TFSC DOES NOT  
"RECOGNIZE" ENTRY INTO CYPRUS THROUGH GOC-CONTROLLED PORT OF  
ENTRY, TFSC AUTHORITIES MAKE FREQUENT EXCEPTIONS AND PROBABLY  
WOULD PERMIT GIRARD CROSS TO TURKISH CYPRIOT PART OF ISLAND  
AND MEET ERCAN ATC PERSONNEL. IF, ON THE OTHER HAND, HE ENTERED  
CYPRUS VIA ERCAN HE WOULD HAVE DIFFICULTY IN CROSSING TO GREEK  
CYPRIOT SIDE SINCE GOC IS MORE STRICT ON USE OF WHAT THEY

CONSIDER ILLEGAL PORT OF ENTRY.

3. CONCERNING TWA EUROPEAN OPERATIONS THROUGH NICOSIA FIR  
EMBASSY NICOSIA BELIEVES TWA SHOULD ALSO COORDINATE WITH  
STATE DEPARTMENT THROUGH TWA WASHINGTON REPRESENTATIVES.

4. ADVISE DATE GIRARD VISIT AND WHETHER APPOINTMENTS WITH GOC  
AVIATION OFFICIALS DESIRED.  
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